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Petition is herein made under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for an extension of time from December 10, 2003 to January 10, 2004 for filing a Request for Continued Examination. A petition for a two-month extension of time was filed and paid for on November 25, 2003, for response to the Patent Office Action dated July 10, 2003. The appropriate fee for this petition set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17 is enclosed herewith.

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